Land Development Code

Article 3, Use Standards
Article 8, Measurements and
Definitions Draft

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Key Planning Theme

Changing Places, Revitalizing Spaces

The built environment encompasses places and spaces created or modified by people, including buildings, parks, land use patterns, and transportation systems.

1.3.4

Mixed-use development that provides a range of services within walking distance of integrated residential development should be promoted as a way to help reduce motor vehicle trips. Developments that reduce reliance on single-occupancy motor vehicles should be supported.

1.7.6

The creation of flag lots, lots typically located at the rear of another lot with little or no street frontage and accessed by a driveway or narrow strip of land, should be discouraged.

3.2.4

The construction of accessory dwelling units such as garage apartments, "granny flats, "mother-in-law suites," should be allowed to provide housing options in areas with existing infrastructure and access to goods and services.

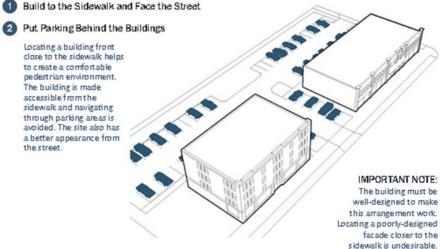
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Student-oriented housing, including dormitories and rent-by-the-room multi-bedroom apartments, should be located near the community college and university campus, with access to transit and bike and pedestrian facilities connected to the campuses.

1.7.12

Accessory housing should be encouraged in association with single-family homes, in new development and also in existing neighborhoods.

Locating a building front close to the sidewalk helps to create a comfortable pedestrian environment. The building is made accessible from the sidewalk and navigating through parking areas is avoided. The site also has a better appearance from the street.

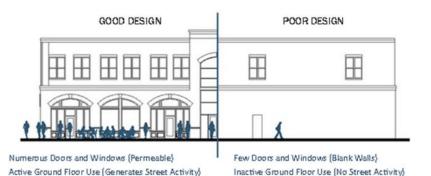


Make the Building Front "Permeable"

Doors and windows allow a building to be seen into and out of and adds visual interest to the building. Large blank walls without such features are boring, unattractive, and sometimes dangerous places to be.

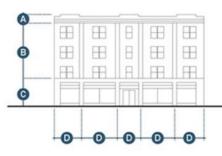
Activate the Ground Floor

Provide space for retail, lobbies, studios or other active uses that can generate vibrancy along the street.



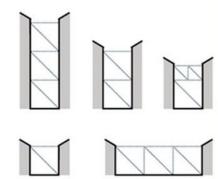
6 Articulate the Building Facade

The front of buildings should be designed to have a distinct base, middle and top (A, B, and C) and be divided into a series of vertical bays (D) along its length. This gives the building a human scale and avoids large, blank walls.



Building Facade with a Distinct Base, Middle, Top and Vertical Bays

6 Define the Street with Good Enclosure Use the buildings along a street to define the spaces between them in correct proportions of space. A ratio of 1:3 is most ideal, with higher ratios providing too much "openness".



Proportions of Space Used to Properly Define a Street





Methods Used in Addition to Building Placement



Create Continuous Places

Don't interrupt the vitality of a location by placing parking areas, blank walls, barriers to movement, false store fronts, trash areas and other undesirable elements along the public space network. Conversely, use infill development apportunities to "bridge the gap" in otherwise continuous places.



More Information

This is further illustrated using a downtown urban space example on page 184.

Street with Too Much Space Between Buildings

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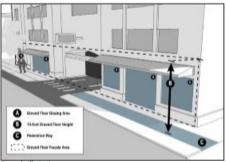
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Internal services facilities	Sec. 18-xx						С	С		С	С	С	С	С	С	
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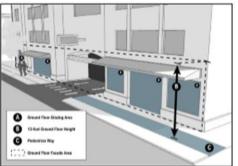
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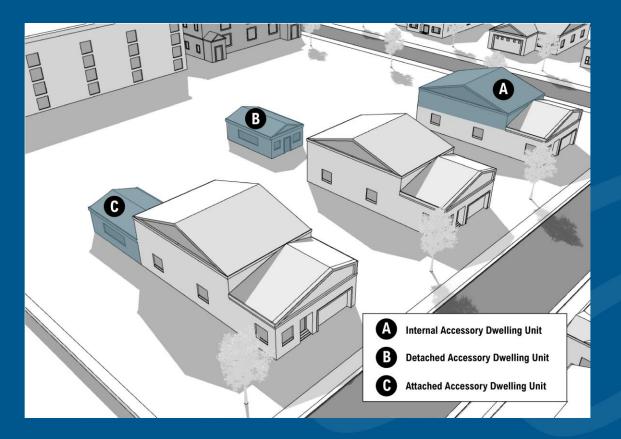
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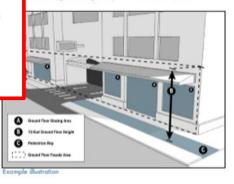
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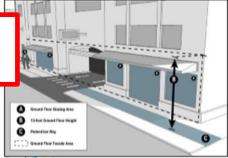
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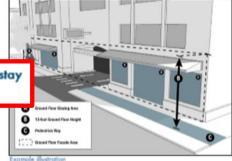
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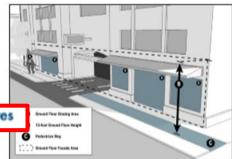
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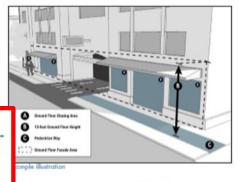
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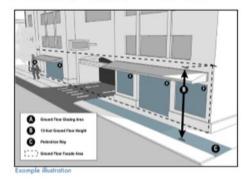
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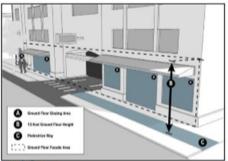
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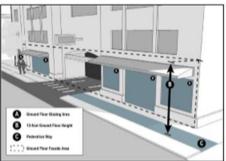
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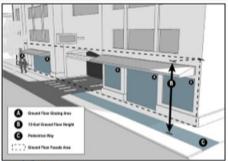
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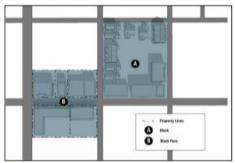
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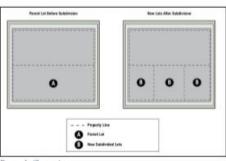
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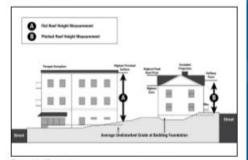
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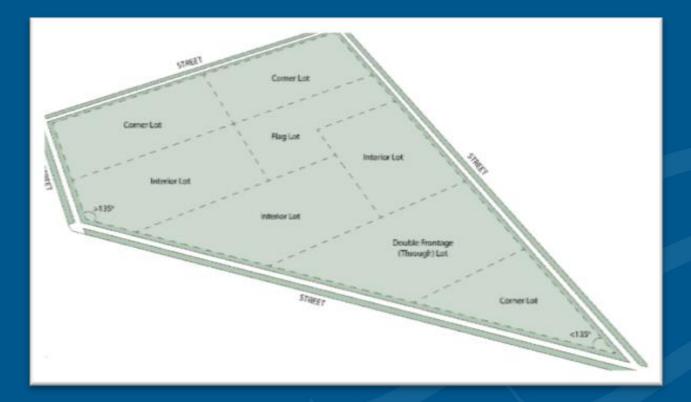


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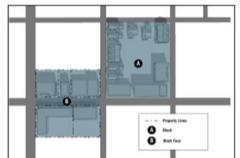
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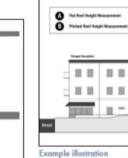
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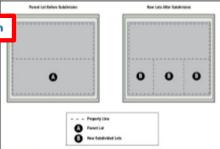
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Caretaker dwelling

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Canopy

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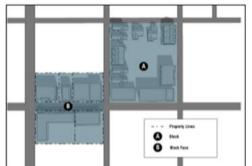
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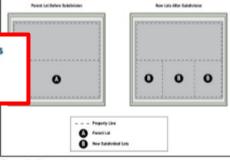
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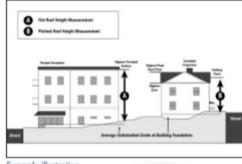
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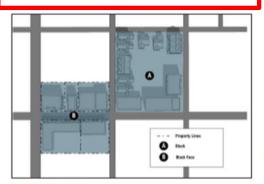
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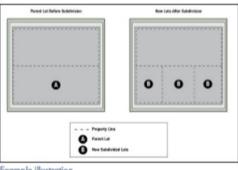
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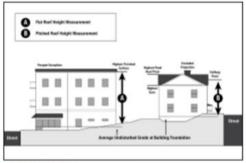
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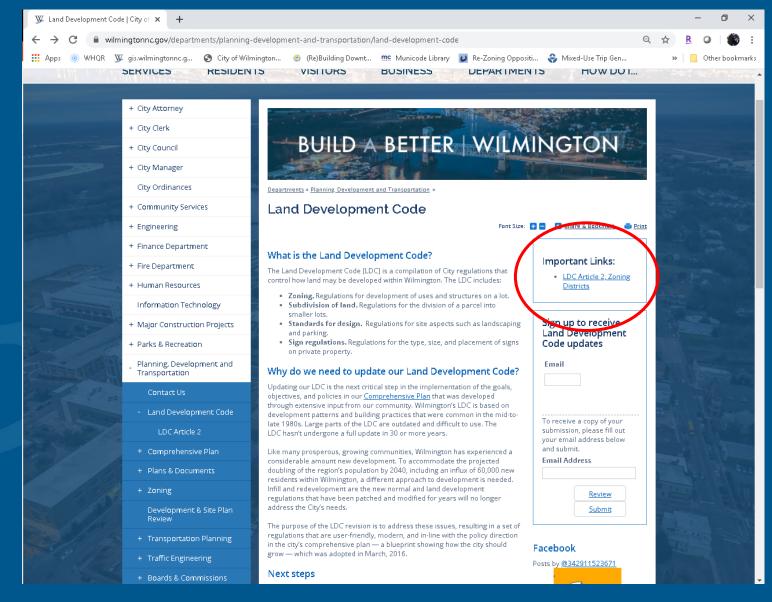
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